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THROUGH THURSDAY AT UM

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MISSOULA--

More than 250 electrical and electronics engineers registered Monday, July 15, for the fifth annual conference on Nuclear and Space Radiation Effects, which lasts through Thursday at the University of Montana.

Dr. O. L. Curtis Jr., a research scientist for Northrop Corporate Laboratories, Hawthorne, Calif., opened the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) conference, the largest on the UM campus this summer.

UM President Robert T. Pantzer and Thomas J. Collins, director of UM Public Services and of the UM Foundation, presented welcoming addresses at the opening session of the conference Monday.

Engineers from throughout the United States and several foreign nations are participating in the IEEE Conference, according to Collins. Many scientists at the conference are accompanied by their families, bringing the number of visitors to about 600.

The four-day event includes presentation of scientific papers, round tables and business meetings. Meetings are in the UM Music Recital Hall (MRH).

One of the highlights of Tuesday's IEEE sessions will be a symposium dealing with effects of radiation on hereditary material. That symposium will be led by Dr. Sheldon Wolff of the Laboratory of Radiobiology, University of California Medical Center, San Francisco.

The paper to be presented by Dr. Wolff at 9:20 a.m. Tuesday is entitled "Basic Cellular Radiobiology: Effects of Radiation on Genes and Chromosomes."

Awards to scientists for prize-winning papers given during the 1967 IEEE conference will be presented at 9 a.m. Tuesday in the MRH.

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Recreation has been planned for registrants and their families by the University and the Missoula Chamber of Commerce.

A program for wives of conference participants includes such activities as a bus tour of the UM campus and the Missoula area, another tour of the Flathead Valley, coffee and social hours, a visit to Helena and a tour of Glacier National Park.

Wednesday evening, July 17, conference registrants and their spouses will go by bus to Sacajawea Park on Flathead Lake for a western steak cook-out.

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